

PLEASE NOTE -

- \* Copies not attached as previously submitted to or cited by the USPTO in parent application US 09/944,399
- \*\* Copies not attached as previously submitted to or cited by the USPTO in grandparent application US 09/575,115

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO		<b>Complete if Known</b>	
<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b>  (use as many sheets as necessary)		Application Number	10/713,068
		Filing Date	11/17/03
		First Named Inventor	Kia Silverbrook
		Art Unit	2861
		Examiner Name	S. H. Smith
Sheet 1 of 1	Attorney Docket Number	ZG011US	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials	Cite No. 1	Document Number Number - Kind Code* (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
[Signature]		US- 6,409,323 *	06.25.2002	Silverbrook	Class
		US- 6,281,912 *	08.28.2001	Silverbrook	—
		US- 5,870,124 *	02.09.1999	Silverbrook	—
		US- 5,250,738 *	06.26.2001	Waller et al	—
		US- 6,234,608 *	05.22.2001	Genovese et al	—
		US- 5,594,481 **	01.14.1997	Keefe et al	—
		US- 5,017,947 **	21.05.1991	Masuda	—
		US- 5,963,234 **	10.05.1999	Miyazawa et al	—
		US- 5,876,582 **	03.02.1999	Frazier	—
		US- 5,502,471 **	03.26.1996	Obermeier et al	—
		US- 4,883,219 **	28.11.1989	Anderson et al	—
		US- 6,069,640 *	May, 2000	Kubatzki	—
		US- 5,381,162 **	Jan-1995	Roy et al	—
		US-			
		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials	Cite No. 1	Foreign Patent Document Country Code 3 - Number 4 - Kind Code* (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
[Signature]		EP 604029 *	06.29.1994	NCR International Inc	Count 100
		JP 10 153453 *	06.09.1998	Brother Kogyo KK	Japan
		JP 10 138461 *	05.26.1998	Hitachi Ltd	—
		JP 03 234539 *	10.18.1991	Canon Inc	—
		GB 2 267 255 **	12.01.1993	Inkjet Systems GmbH	Great Britain
		EP 584823 **	03.02.1994	Seiko Epson Corp	Europe
		GB 2 115 748 **	09.14.1983	Canon KK	Great Britain
		JP 11 179 900 **	07.06.1999	Hitachi Ltd	Japan

Examiner Signature	S. H. Smith	Date Considered	1-27-05
--------------------	-------------	-----------------	---------

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at [www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov) or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.